

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Thursday, January 21, 2021  
9:00 AM PST

**Day 1 (Thursday):** No significant impacts are expected today.

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# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**01/21/21 - 01/27/21**

## **Thursday-Saturday**

- After a quiet day Thursday, a weak storm system is expected to move through California Thursday night through Saturday, bringing generally light rain and mountain snow to much of the state, with minor travel impacts possible

## **Sunday-Wednesday**

- The series of storm systems will continue through at least the middle of next week, with a trend toward stronger and wetter storm systems
  - Locally heavy rainfall and heavy mountain snow will be possible with these early-to-mid week storm systems, especially on Tuesday and Wednesday
  - Periods of gusty winds can also be expected with these storms, especially on Monday and Wednesday



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

01/21/21 - 01/27/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>					Southern		All Regions
<b>Snow</b>		Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
<b>Heat Risk</b>							
<b>Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow</b>					Southern	All Regions	All Regions
<b>Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



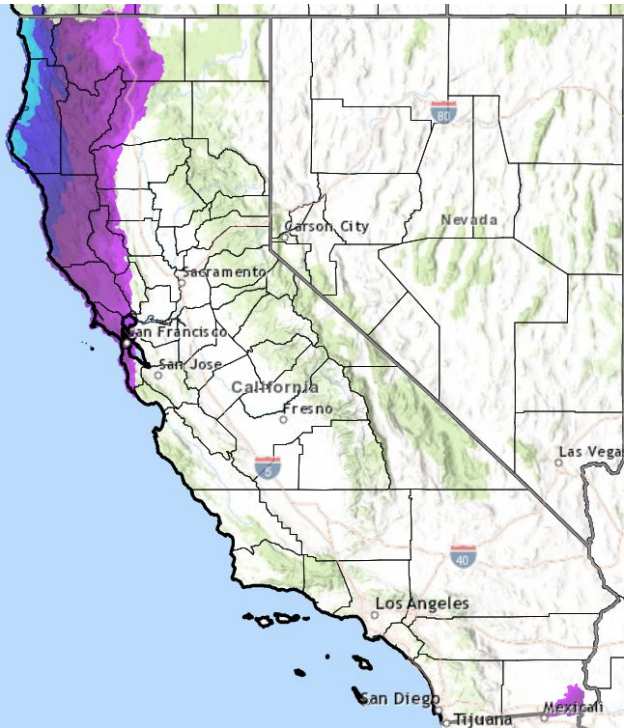
Moderate Impacts



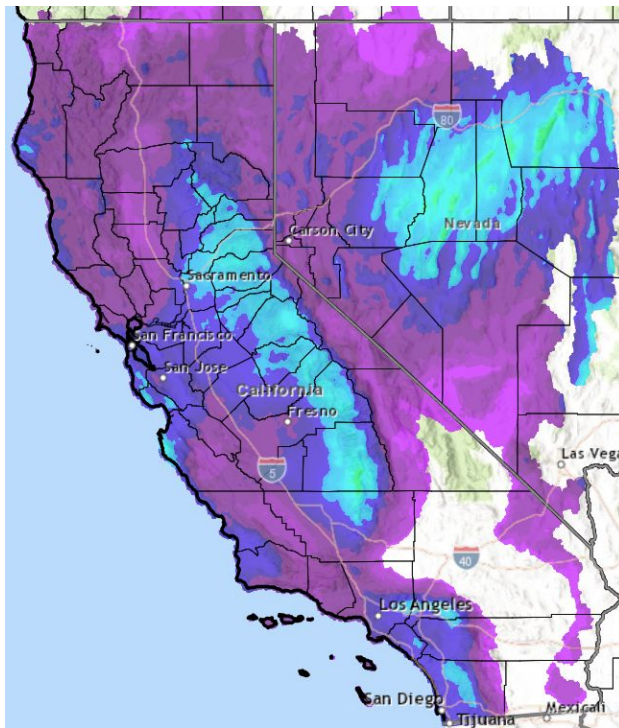
Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

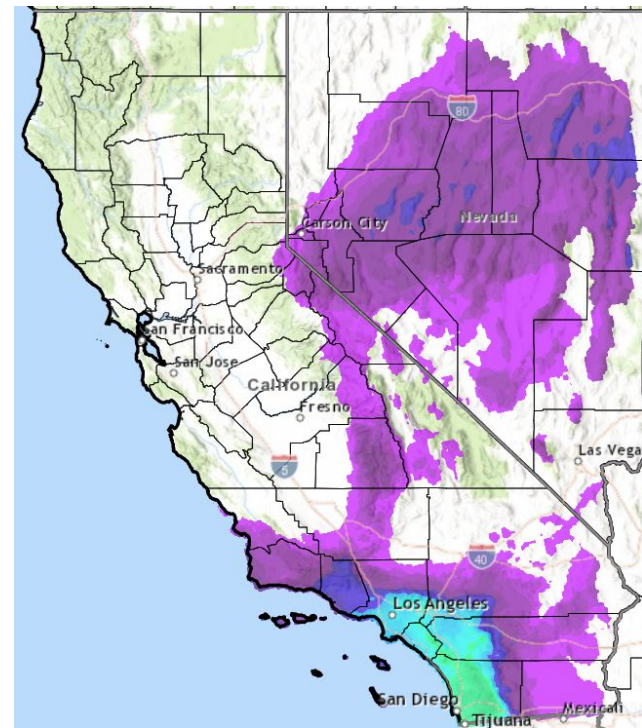
01/21/21 - 01/23/21



Thursday



Friday



Saturday

Precipitation (inches)



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**01/26/21 - 02/03/21**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (January 26 – January 30)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures strongly favored statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Above normal precipitation strongly favored statewide

## **8-14 Day Outlook (January 28 – February 3)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures favored statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Above normal precipitation favored for most of the state, except near normal precipitation favored for far southern California



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